

Title 11

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Subtitle .03 MARYLAND AVIATION ADMINISTRATION

11.03.01 Baltimore/Washington International Thurgood Marshall Airport

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.01 Definitions.

A. (text unchanged)

B. Terms Defined.

(1)—(2) (text unchanged)

(3) "Airfield operator's permit" means a license issued by the Maryland Aviation Administration for operating motor vehicles, loading bridges, [planemates], or [Airport-owned main deck loaders] *any other motorized equipment* on the air operations area.

(4)—(56-1) (text unchanged)

.04 Control of Vehicular Traffic on the Air Operations Area.

A.—P. (text unchanged)

Q. Airfield Operator's Permit.

(1) An Airfield Operator's Permit is required for all individuals who operate a motor vehicle, a loading bridge, [a planemate, an Airport-owned main deck loader,] or any other motorized equipment on the air operations area. *The Administration has a three-tier system for its Airfield Operator's Permit:*

(a) Tier 1 is designated for those individuals requiring access to only non-movement areas of the air operations area. An Airfield Operator's Permit designated as tier 1 shall have a V/P or V/P/L on the individual's identification badge.

(b) Tier 2 is designated for those individuals requiring access to nonmovement areas and limited access to movement areas of the air operations area. An Airfield Operator's Permit designated as tier 2 shall have a V/P/T on the individual's identification badge.

(c) Tier 3 is designated for those individuals requiring unrestricted access to the non-movement and movement areas of the air operations area. An Airfield Operator's Permit designated as tier 3 shall have a V/P/R on the individual's identification badge.

(2) An applicant for an Airfield Operator's Permit shall obtain a Request for Access/PIN Change [(Form MAA-079),] *form* and the Equipment Training Record [(Form MAA-106), and the Study Guide for the Airfield Operator's Permit Examination] *form* from the Administration.

(3) An applicant for an Airfield Operator's Permit of any [class] *tier* shall possess a valid [state] motor vehicle operator's license from any state. Applicants for an Airfield Operator's Permit shall successfully complete the [written examination with a minimum score of 80 percent.] *following:*

(a) Tier 1: The Non-movement Area Airfield Operator's Permit written examination with a minimum score of 80 percent. The applicant shall also complete recurrent non-movement area training on a bi-annual basis.

(b) Tier 2: The Non-movement Area Airfield Operator's Permit written examination with a minimum score of 80 percent and the Movement Area Airfield Operator's Permit written examination with a minimum score of 90 percent. The applicant shall also complete recurrent movement area training on an annual basis.

(c) Tier 3: The Non-movement Area Airfield Operator's Permit written examination with a minimum score of 80 percent, the Movement Area Airfield Operator's Permit written examination with a minimum score of 90 percent, and a daytime and nighttime movement area practical driving test as follows:

(i) Daytime and Nighttime Practical Driving Test. The applicant shall also take a written test and a practical driving test during daylight and nighttime hours with an Airport Operations supervisor. A minimum score of 90 percent is required on the written test. The written test also contains core questions of which have no numerical value but are pass/fail. A fail on any of the core questions ends the test and results in a denial of the permit. The practical driving test demonstrates the ability to move around the Airport with knowledge, technique, and in a safe manner.

(ii) The applicant shall also complete recurrent movement area training on an annual basis.

(4) (text unchanged)

(5) The expiration date of all [classes] *tiers* of Airfield Operator's Permits shall coincide with the expiration date of the applicant's [authorized employee] identification badge issued by the Administration. If renewal of an Airfield Operator's Permit is desired, this renewal shall be done at the time of the employee identification badge renewal.

(6) An applicant for an Airfield Operator's Permit shall complete the applicable training and submit an Equipment Training Record [(form MAA-106)] *form*. Training shall take place before issuance of an Airfield Operator's Permit.

(7)—(18) (text unchanged)
R.—S. (text unchanged)

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